BEFORE THE POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

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Docket No. MC96-3

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NOTICE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF EXPECTED AMOUNTS OF ORAL CROSS-EXAMINATION (October 30, 1996)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides the following estimates of how much it expects to conduct oral cross-examination of OCA and intervenor witnesses at the upcoming evidentiary hearings. These estimates might change as responses to written cross-examination are received and reviewed.

WITNESS

Expected Cross-Examination

Douglas Carlson

Light to Moderate¹

MMA Witness Richard Bentley

Light

NMS Witness John Haldi

Moderate to Heavy

OCA Witnesses:

Roger Sherman

Light to Moderate

Pamela Thompson

Light to Moderate

James Callow

Moderate to Heavy

Sheryda Collins

Light to Moderate

¹ The Postal Service plans to respond to Douglas F. Carlson Motion to Be Excused from Oral Cross-Examination on My Direct Testimony by Monday, November 4, 1996.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

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David H. Rubin

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

David H. Rubin

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